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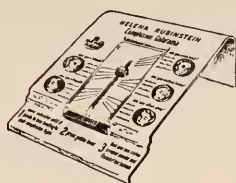
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Leonard Albert Heinrich, one of the great living authorities on armor and metalcraft and a resident of this community for the past three years, whose craftsmanship and knowledge of the whole field of decorative arts will be appreciated next week by the Princetonians attending the film, "Joan of Arc." Armorer of the Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York City, Heinrich some 18 months ago took a busman's holiday and in his Princeton home created the armor the Maid of Orleans—a la Bergman—wears in her turbulent battle scenes.

Capable of examining any piece of armor and telling within ten years of when—and where—it was made, Heinrich looks upon his service as a technical adviser for "Joan of Arc" as a pleasant interlude in an engrossing life's work. For instance, Miss Bergman's tailor-made, 242-piece metal costume—containing just as much metal as its 15th century counterpart—is light and easily maneuverable because Heinrich utilized aluminum alloy, the material he worked with during World War II in adapting medieval designs to modern battle conditions.

The 49-year old Heinrich, the grandson of a metalcraftsman who combined locksmithing and clockmaking with armor repairs, started learning his profession as a child of eight when he was permitted to hammer out pieces in the family shop in Munich, Germany. He served an exacting apprenticeship, studied in art schools and at first concentrated upon restoration projects for collectors and museums, occasionally turning out "authentic pieces" for the prospering owners of 20th century "castles."

Coming to the United States in 1924, he took over the Metropolitan's Armor Workshop and became responsible for maintaining the country's largest and most representative collection of armor and early weapons. Heinrich's shops, in Manhattan and in the cellar of his Brunswick Pike farmhouse, reflect his versatility. Side by side on a workbench will be found protective military apparel, ranging from a vizedor Gothic helmet down to World War II flak suits and a model of the new plastic helmet he is designing for the Armed Forces.

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Topics of the Town

False Economy. Virtually overnight, the question of creating a thoroughfare from John Street to Bayard Lane had become vastly simplified. Now, the average Princetonian, about whose head had swirled multiple conflicting estimates of condemnation figures and equally complex problems deeply rooted in proper municipal planning, had a clear choice:

At a public meeting set for next Thursday night in Borough Hall, he could get up and say whether he wanted a road that would begin at Bayard Lane and dead end into John Street. If he did, he would automatically commit himself to widening John Street for two blocks to provide some small measure of hope for the resultant maze of right angle turns and one-way streets. And if he favored such an undertaking, he could count on

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On the other hand, he could go to the public hearing and do his level best to persuade the mayor and five members of council that for almost any dollar investment—let alone \$35,000—the proposed route was no return at all on his money. For the average car owner, there was nothing facile about the irritating intricacy of the road as the governing body now envisioned it—Councilman Griffing always dissenting. For police and fire engines, it was out of the question. For traffic relief on Nassau, surveys had long since shown none of the four alternatives considered would be of value.

Regardless of what the taxpayer had felt about Greenholm, and whatever he had wondered about the cost of the central route, it mattered little now. Last weekend, council instructed Attorney Edgar S. Smith to abandon condemnation proceedings—in direct contradiction of its previously announced intention of obtaining comparative costs on the two routes.

Because thousands of residents of this community would virtually never have occasion to use any of the proposed routes, the best of them always stood in danger of being a tax on the many to benefit the few. The choice of the route as it exists today sharply decreases the potential "few" and melts the benefits virtually to the vanishing point.

Miscellany. Patrolman Randolph "Bud" Applegate, who will be assisted by fellow officers Frank Bird and John Chasko in leading a group of 60 boys from the Nassau Street and St. Paul's School safety patrols to see the Athletics play in Philadelphia next week, extends his

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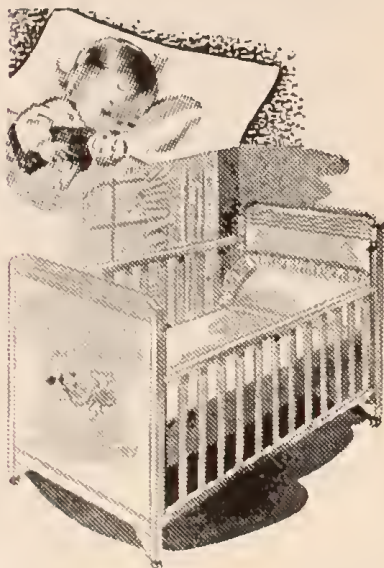


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It may seem hard to believe that you can snap a picture, push a button, pull a tab, wait a minute and take out a 3½ by 4½ sepia-tone, deckle-edged dry and finished print, but you can take our word for it that it works just that way. We saw it and haven't recovered yet! The advantages are obvious: you can have your picture when it means the most, when you can show it to the subjects themselves, when you can shoot it again if you're not satisfied with your photography. As for additional prints, there are two ways to secure them: send the print to a finisher who can make a negative from it; mail the print to the Polaroid Corporation for copies. A third way—the new Polaroid Copy attachment—will be purchasable shortly.

The camera is essentially a most simple one to operate and has at least three improvements over comparably priced models. The foot scale is calibrated in one-foot distances for the first 3½ to 6 feet, which obviously makes for better focus, consequently better detail. The shutter speed and lens diaphragm are combined so that they are set by turning a disc, numbered from 1 to 8, to make a proper selection of light and speed. A special GE-Polaroid exposure meter which has a scale reading in numbers corresponding to those on the disc, is also available if you doubt your ability to make a foolproof exposure. The view-finder has a parallax correction device, ingeniously set on a spring to eliminate possible

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Sports in Short

Star Pitcher. Softball teams in three Y.M.C.A. leagues were in the thick of pennant chases this week, with emphasis as usual on the pitchers. Rated as the early-season standout was a hurler for the College Board nine in the "B" league, whose speed kept hits to a minimum, sent strikeout totals upwards. A student at the School of Christian Education in the Theological Seminary, her name is Jane Molden.

Random Notes. Weekend activity here will be featured by the Eastern 150-lb. rowing championships on Carnegie, with entries from Columbia, Cornell, Harvard, M.I.T., Penn, Princeton and Yale. The Toy Tigers are favored to retain the title they won here a year ago, off their fine performance in rowing away from Harvard as they captured the Goldthwait Cup last Saturday. The Crimson jayvee and freshman boats are the pick of their divisions. Six sprints in the morning, starting at 10; finals at 5 p.m.

A good-looking Nassau varsity is seeded third behind Harvard and Yale in the sprint championships at Syracuse this weekend. Tom Bolles' Crimson crew is such a strong favorite to repeat, however, that any other outcome will be a thoroughgoing upset.

In the four games preceding the Cornell contest, the Tiger ball team had totalled 9 runs against its opponents' 8 and yet had won three out of four. . . the Tigers are better than even to take the Big Three title. . . Milt Robbins, the Lafayette southpaw who fanned 12 Princetonians while giving two hits and losing 1-0, struck out 15 Army batters Monday and has now fanned 65 in his last five games.

Irwin Weiss' high school track team, unbeaten in the course of two seasons, has won five in a row this year, is favored to retain its Mercer County championship in Trenton Tuesday. . . leading performers have been George Sickle in the 440, Joe Stonaker in the half and Dick Hogarty in the mile, Bill Baugh in the javelin and shot put, Howard Beagles, Stanley Cranston and Jim Scudder in the broad and high jumps.

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The Lady Gambles (Sun.-Wed.) takes Barbara Stanwyck far downhill as she breaks up her marriage to Robert Preston through addiction to games of chance, brings her back again through his love and care. Acting and action are generally superficial.

The Champion (Thurs. - Sat.), based on a good Ring Lardner story, is a two-fisted tale about a vicious middleweight boxer who turns on friend and family alike. A powerful character portrayal by Kirk Douglas is backed with a suspenseful plot, fine photography.

THE GARDEN

The Life of Riley (Thurs.-Sat.) features William Bendix in the title role, offers a corny story story about a bumbling factory hand who hopes to become an executive when his daughter marries the boss's son. A cinematic soap opera.

Joan of Arc (Mon.-Wed.) is the spectacle piece in which Ingrid Bergman gives the finest performance of her distinguished career. The occasionally slow-moving but always impressive historical pageant records the life of the Maid of Orleans from childhood to death by fire at 19. Should be seen. (Shows at 3 and 8:30.)

Mlle. Desiree (Thurs.) is a good example of the better-type French film as well as of the work of Sacha Guitry.

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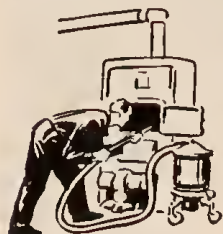
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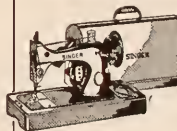
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Calendar of the Week

Saturday, May 14th

10:00 a.m.: Qualifying Heats, Eastern
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1:00 - 6:00 p.m.: "Open House in
Princeton." Ten Princeton Homes;
benefit Mount Holyoke and Radcliffe
Colleges. Tickets at Hinkson's, 74
Nassau Street.

2:30 p.m.: Baseball: Princeton vs.
Georgetown; University Field.
5:00 p.m.: Finals, Eastern Lightweight
Rowing Championships; Lake Car-
negie.

Sunday, May 15th

7:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:00 a.m.: Mass, St.
Paul's R. C. Church.

9:45 and 11:00 a.m.: "The Church—Its
Origin, Its Purpose and Its Plan,"
Rev. Dr. Frank S. Niles; First
Church.

10:30 a.m.: "My Faith Looks Up to
Thee," Rev. Mr. Milton J. Nauss;
Lutheran Service; Westminster Col-
lege Chapel.

11:00 a.m.: University Chapel Speaker,
Rt. Rev. Wallace J. Gardner, Bishop
of Protestant and Episcopal Diocese of
New Jersey; University Chapel.
"Religion and Human Need," Rev.
Dr. William L. Tucker; Second
Church.

Friends Meeting for Worship, Stony
Brook Meeting House.

"Mortals and Immortals," Lesson-
Sermon; First Church of Christ, Sci-
entist.

"The Meaning of Faith," Rev. Mr.
Roland F. Chandler; Princeton Bap-
tist Church, Penns Neck.

Sermon, Rev. John V. Butler; Trin-
ity Episcopal Church.

"The Sorry Scheme of Things," Rev.
Mr. Lynn H. Corson; Methodist
Church.

"Service and Reward," Rev. Mr.
Benjamin J. Anderson; Witherspoon
Presbyterian Church.

"The Vision of Truth," Rev. Dr. Wil-
liam T. Parker; First Baptist Church.

"The Kingdom of God," Rev. Mr.
John W. Johnson; Mt. Pisgah Church.

3:30 p.m.: Pastor's Aid Rally, Withers-
poon Presbyterian Church.

"Open House Tea" and musical-dra-
matic skit, "Listen America," spon-
sored by Witherspoon Dramatic Club
for benefit Princeton Hospital; Withers-
poon Street "Y."

6:00 p.m.: Canterbury Fellowship Meet-
ing, "Why the Church?" talk by
Rev. Dr. Butler; Procter Foundation
House.

8:00 p.m.: "God Has a Plan for Your
Life," Rev. Dr. Niles; First Church.
"The Spirit of Worship," Rev. Mr.
Anderson; Witherspoon Church.

"A Spiritual Struggle," Rev. Dr. Par-
ker; First Baptist Church.

"Forward!" Rev. Mr. Johnson; Mt.
Pisgah Church.

8:15 p.m.: Evening Service; First
Church of Christ, Scientist.

Monday, May 16th

4:40 p.m.: Vesper Musical, James Mc-
Keever, Bartone; Miller Chapel,
Seminary Campus.

8:00 p.m.: Report Meeting, Princeton
Hospital Building Fund Campaign;
Princeton H. S.

Campus Center Musical Recital;
Murray-Dodge Hall.

Tuesday, May 17th

8:30 - 9:30 a.m.: Pre-School Clinic for
registration of kindergarten pupils
for 1948-50; Nassau Street School. For
appointment telephone Nassau Street
School's Nurse's Office, 1450.

Wednesday, May 18th
9:00 a.m.-Noon: Special Furniture Sale,
sponsored by Hospital Aid Committee
for benefit of Princeton Hospital;
Chambers Street Firehouse.

8:00 p.m.: "The First Psalm," Rev.
Dr. Niles; First Church.

"The Elements of Effective Prayer,"
Rev. Mr. Anderson; Witherspoon
Street Church.

8:15 p.m.: Mid-Week Meeting; First
Church of Christ, Scientist.

8:30 p.m.: Mid-Week Services, First
Baptist and Mt. Pisgah Churches.

Thursday, May 19th

9:00 a.m.-8 p.m.: Hospital Aid Com-
mittee's Annual Spring Rummage
Sale; benefit Princeton Hospital;
Chambers Street Firehouse.

3:15 p.m.: Baseball: Princeton H. S.
vs. Hamilton; H. S. Field.

6:15 p.m.: Twin-M League Baseball:
Princeton vs. Monmouth Junction;
Brokaw Field, University Campus.

8:00 p.m.: Meeting, Princeton Business
Association. First Reading of Con-
stitution; address, Carroll S. Moore
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